

a handle having a first body member and a second body member, the first body member having a first contact member which, in turn, has a first contact surface and an inner surface, and the second body member having a second contact member which, in turn, has a second contact surface and an outer surface,

wherein the first contact surface of the first contact member engages the inner wall of the specimen container body, and the second contact surface of the second contact member engages the outer wall of the specimen container body, removably securing the handle to the specimen container body.

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2. A method of collecting urine with a handle and a specimen container body, wherein the handle has a first body member and a second body member, the first body member has a first contact member which has a first contact surface and an inner surface, the second body member has a second contact member which has a second contact surface and an outer surface, and the specimen container body has an inner wall and an outer wall, defines a collection cavity, and forms a rim, comprising the steps of:

- a) positioning the first contact member of the first body member adjacent to the rim formed by the specimen container body, with the first contact member protruding into the collection cavity and the first contact surface facing the inner wall of the specimen container body;
- b) positioning the second contact member of the second body member adjacent to the rim formed by the specimen container body, with the second contact surface of the second contact member facing the outer wall of the specimen container body; and
- c) securing the handle to the rim of the specimen container body so that the first contact surface of the first contact member engages the inner wall of the specimen

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container body, and the second contact surface of the second contact member engages the outer wall of the specimen container body.

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3. The method as claimed in claim 2 further comprising the step of moving the second contact member in a first direction prior to the step of securing the handle to the specimen container body so that the first contact surface of the first contact member engages the inner wall of the specimen container body, and the second contact surface of the second contact member engages the outer wall of the specimen container body.

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4. The method as claimed in claim 2 further comprising the step of removing the handle from the specimen container body after the step of securing the handle to the specimen container body so that the first contact surface of the first contact member engages the inner wall of the specimen container body, and the second contact surface of the second contact member engages the outer wall of the specimen container body.

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5. The method as claimed in claim 4 further comprising the step of moving the second contact member in a second direction prior to the step of removing the handle from the specimen container body.

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6. A handle for use with a specimen container body, the specimen container body having an inner wall and an outer wall, the handle comprising:

a first body member having a first contact member which, in turn, has a first contact surface and an inner surface; and

a second body member having a second contact member which, in turn, has a second contact surface and an outer surface,

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wherein the first contact surface engages the inner wall of the specimen container body and the second contact surface engages the outer wall of the specimen container, removably securing the handle to the specimen container body.

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7. The handle as claimed in claim 6, wherein the first contact surface of the first contact member defines an arcuate shape.

8. The handle as claimed in claim 7, wherein the second contact surface of the second contact member defines an arcuate shape.

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9. The handle as claimed in claim 6, wherein the second contact surface defines a plurality of notches.

10. The handle as claimed in claim 6, wherein the second contact surface defines a plurality of scored sections.

11. The handle as claimed in claim 6, wherein the second contact member is movable with respect to the first contact member.

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12. The handle as claimed in claim 11, wherein the first body member defines an internal channel, and the second body member is received in the internal channel defined by the first body member.

13. The handle as claimed in claim 11 further comprising a locking member, wherein the first body member defines a guide hole, the second body member

defines a locking hole, and the locking member is received in both the guide hole and the locking hole.

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14. The handle as claimed in claim 12, wherein the internal channel defines internal threads, and the second body member defines external threads, wherein the external threads are received by the internal threads.

15. The handle as claimed in claim 6, wherein the first body member and the second body member are made from a material selected from the group consisting of plastic and stainless steel.

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16. The urine collection device as claimed in claim 1, wherein the specimen container defines a collection cavity, a fluid collection and retrieval opening, a rim positioned adjacent to the fluid collection and retrieval opening, and threads positioned adjacent to the rim.

17. The urine collection device as claimed in claim 16, wherein the second contact surface defines notches which accommodate the threads positioned adjacent to the rim.

18. The urine collection device as claimed in claim 16, wherein the second contact surface defines scored sections which accommodate the threads positioned adjacent to the rim.